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<b>Application Number</b>	10/073,863
<b>Filing Date</b>	February 14, 2002
<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Gholam A. Peyman
<b>Art Unit</b>	1615
<b>Examiner Name</b>	H. Sheikh
<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	42561

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

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a.  Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

i.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Rely Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
ii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

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2. **Miscellaneous**

a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a

period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)  
b.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

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i.  RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)  
ii.  Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)  
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b.  Check in the amount of \$ 520.00 \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed

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Case Docket No.: **42561**

In re Application of: **Gholam A. PEYMAN**

Serial No.: **10/073,863**

Patent Art Unit: **1615**

Filed: **February 14, 2002**

Examiner: **H. Sheikh**

**For: METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR HYPERTHERMALLY TREATING CELLS**

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application:

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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			RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>	- 20 =	<b>15</b>	x 9 = <b>\$135.00</b>	x 18 = \$	
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<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM			+ 145 = \$	+ 290 = \$		
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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